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BARLEY, 60 to 65 cents per bushel.
DRIED APPLES, 6 to 7, and 8 cents per pound
EGGS, 30 cents per dozen.
FRESH MEATS. Horned hog 7 to 8 cts. and
fresh beef by the side 6 to 8 cts. per pound. Mut-
ter 6 to 8 cts. and 7 to 8 cts. per pound.
HAY. Loose hay, \$14 to \$15, and press, 1 to
18 to \$20 per ton.
HORET, in small bushes, 15 to 20 cents per
bushel, and in large 15 to 18 cents.
OATS are selling in the streets at 43 to 45 cts.
per bushel.
POTATOES. New Early Rose 45 to 50
POULTRY. Chickens 10 to 12 cents.
SPRAY 25 to 30 per rose.

\$6.50 and \$6.50 per cord; soft wood, including
 Juniper or Hackmatack, from \$3.00 to \$3.50.
 Coal for kitchen and furnace use is now sold
 and delivered at \$2.50 per ton.
 WOOL, &c. Unwashed wool sells at 25 cents,
 and washed do. 35 cents per pound. Wool skins
 sell at \$1.00 to \$2.00 each. Hides 7 cents, and veal
 skins 60c to \$1.35. Rough tallow 8 cents, and tried
 do. 5 cents per pound.

Banckers & Brokers,
No. 13 New St., New York,
Buy and sell either upon margin or for invest-
ment, Railroad Stocks, Bonds and other Securi-
ties usually dealt in in the New York Stock Ex-

H. E. DILLISMAN,
H. H. PARRIS,
C. G. WADE,
Member of the New York Stock Exchange
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F. H. WILLIAMS & CO.,
Stock Brokers,

22 Water Street, - - Boston.
122 West Market Sq., - - Bangor.
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TELEPHONE FOR

CUT FLOWERS!

Having connected my Green-house with the Telephone, I am now enabled to fill orders for

short notice.
 Telephone for my prices before ordering else-
 where.
 Flowers delivered at any part of the city with-
 out extra charge.

ARTHUR F. NOYES, Florist,
 2254 11 285 Ohio St.

SEE US!

Celebrated Ice Tools
in stock or promptly furnished at manufacturers' prices.
HENRY McLAUGHLIN

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CHRISTMAS.

When you are looking for Christmas presents do not forget that we keep many articles, useful and ornamental, such as

SMYENA RUGS,

TURKISH H'ASOCKS.

CARPET SWEEPERS, Etc
A large lot just received.
A. H. ROBERTS & SON
No. 7 Main Street.
deals in

—CALL AT—
B. S. KALISH'S,
No. 43 Main Street,
 Directly under Globe Hotel for anything in the
 jewelry line. A full line of
Solid Gold Stones and Band Rings,

Gourd, Vest and Neck Chains, Charms, Lockets,
 Crosses, Bracelets, Ear Drops, Bag Pins,
 Sleeve Buttons, Scarf Pins, &c.
SILVER AND PLATED WARE
 In Great Variety.
 Specs, Eye Glasses, &c., Waltham, Elgin and
 Springfield Watches.
 We are always pleased to show our goods. Our
 prices are lower than any other firm in the city,
 Call and see for yourself.
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Notice of Petition.
The Penobscot & Lake Umbagog Railroad Company will make application to the Legislature of 1881 for amendments of its charter as to location of its route, and extension of time for organization, filing location, and completion of said railroad.
J. F. RAWSON, Clerk.
Dec. 6, 1880. C33w

privilege and pleasure for all those who have life or property entrusted to their care, to use the safest and best oil. This oil is always inspected before leaving the factory by a competent person. Call and try it.

THOMPSON & KELLOGG,
Sole Agents for Bangor.

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Second National Bank of Bangor.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the

their Banking Room at Bangor, on Tuesday, the 11th day of January next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the choice of Directors and the transference of any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

W. S. DENNETT, Cashier.

Bangor, Dec. 8th, 1893.

A. F. CHASE

Has just received a choice line of

Wool, Wear and Silk Handkerchiefs.

from New York and Boston, for the Hingham Trade
and invites the public to inspect his stock at
No. 3 Kenduskeag Block.
deals (Jan.)
W. P. E. B. MS.
But the best place in Bangor to go
Watches, Clocks, Jewelry

of all kinds is at
G. F. NORWOOL'S,
145 Exchange Street.
Also SILVER WARE, BIRD CAGES, REVOL-
VERS and AMMUNITION in variety. Special at-
tention to all kinds of repairing. All work war-
ranted. dec 18 3w

J. F. PATTER
Has a Large Stock of
PERFUMERY AND FANCY GOODS

For the Holidays.
No. 1 Granite Block.
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BY TELEGRAPH.

MAINE NEWS.

FROM WATERVILLE.

Death of a Yearling Bull. (Special Telegram to the Courier.) WATERVILLE, Dec. 27. Mrs. Helen R. Boutelle, widow of the late Hon. Timothy Boutelle, died here at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Edwin Jones, this afternoon, at the great age of ninety-two years. The deceased was the daughter of Judge Rogers of Exeter, N. H., was married and came here in 1810, and has resided here ever since.

THE BOSTON & MAINE EASTERN RAILROAD.

Interview with the President—Denial of Corruptions. BOSTON, Dec. 27. The Herald prints an interview with President White of the Boston & Maine and Phillips of the Eastern Railroad on the subject of the reported consolidation of the two roads. Mr. White says: Not a particle of truth in it. The Directors have neither decided upon nor talked over the question of consolidation. For some time the joint efforts of the Directors of the two roads have been directed to the matter of pooling freight earnings between points where there is competition, and there are naturally frequent conversations in regard to that matter, but no change has been made. It is possible that the pooling system may be enlarged and extended, but nothing has been done about it yet.

President Phillips also emphasized the rumor which he thought might have been connected for stock purposes. The matter of pooling earnings was the business which the committee of Directors had been chosen to manage, but he did not feel at liberty to state whether the question of extending the pooling so as to include all freight traffic had come up. Certainly he said no action had been taken on such subject.

HORRIBLE TRAGEDY.

An Aged Couple Murdered.

THE MURDERER HUNG BY A MOB.

A Triple Tragedy. FORTHELEIGH, Pa., Dec. 27. Jacob Gogel and Anna, his wife, aged couple, were found brutally murdered in their house, the walls of the room being splashed with blood. The bodies were discovered by Joseph Snyder, a boarder, aged 24, and the excited populace at once made search for him. A body was found in a neighboring barn. It was immediately taken back to the house of his victims and questioned as to murder, when he confessed having committed the crime. He was in love with the oldest daughter of the Gogels, but was opposed by her parents. He killed her by killing them. He had scarcely confessed before a rope was placed around his neck and he was dragged outside the house and hanged. After being suspended 20 minutes the body was cut down by the Poor-house authorities and taken to the institution. The officers of the law made a vain endeavor to restrain the mob. The Father of the Mob. Detective York, who is hunting for a gang of thousands people visited the scene of the tragedy during the day and the excitement is intense.

NEW JERSEY.

Death of a Congressman. HACKENSACK, Dec. 27. Congressman C. H. Voth, who had been elected to Congress, died at his residence at Hackensack, N. J., at the age of 55 years, after a long illness.

DEATH OF REV. DR. CHAPIN.

The Distinguished Preacher Passed away in his 64th Year. NEW YORK, Dec. 27. Rev. Dr. Chapin, the celebrated Universalist divine, died yesterday aged 66. During the past four years Dr. Chapin had been suffering from a long illness, and his death was expected. He was a member of the New York State Legislature, and had been a member of the New York State Senate. He was a man of great energy and ability, and his death is a great loss to the church and the world.

A PRECIOUS ROGUE.

A Kid Steals \$5,000 from his Employer. BUFFALO, Dec. 27. The police have arrested a young man named Wm. McGee, charged with embezzling over \$5,000 from his former employer, Rogers & Co., of this city. He was engaged in the business of selling torpedoes, and had been employed by Rogers & Co. for some time. He was a man of great energy and ability, and his death is a great loss to the church and the world.

MINNESOTA.

Disappearance of a Minneapolis Banker. ST. PAUL, Dec. 27. N. B. Harwood, the Minneapolis banker, has been absent from the city since Friday afternoon. His friends say he has gone to Chicago for rest and to recover his health, which was broken by his recent excitement. It is believed he has gone to join his family in New Orleans and go with them to Europe. It is remembered that he was charged with Mrs. Harwood last that she secretly took with her a considerable part of the assets of the broken house.

OBITUARY.

A Journalist Gone. Jerome B. Stillson, a well-known journalist on the metropolitan press, died of Bright's disease of the kidneys yesterday aged 40. He was born at Buffalo, N. Y.

VERMONT.

The Population by the Census. WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. The total population of Vermont, according to the schedule returned to the Census Office, is 332,285. Of this number, 150,888 are males and 181,397 females; 291,340 native, and 40,946 foreign-born; 370,000 white, and 1,945 colored, including 6 Indians and 5 half-breeds.

THE SNOW STORM.

HEAVY GALE ON THE COAST.

Intense Cold in Canada.

In Virginia.

PETERSBURG, Dec. 27. A heavy snow storm, extending as far south as Weldon and as far west as Lynchburg, prevailed Saturday night and yesterday. Snow fell briskly here yesterday.

Damage on the Coast—Twenty inches of Snow.

LONG BRANCH, Dec. 27. A snow storm, one of the severest which has visited the coast for years, set in Friday at 11 A. M., and continued 16 hours with scarcely any cessation. Roads about the coast were impassable. The snow on a level is twenty inches deep and drifted as high as ten feet.

The Ocean pier is truly little damaged but the bluff is badly cut away, carrying with it summer houses and costly bulkheads.

At the Hotel and houses had their porches blown away by the wind, the velocity of which reached forty feet of the pier pavilion roof. The damage to the cottage at the Hotel Beach summer resort only exceeds \$40,000.

A Wash out on the New Jersey Railroad at Righland, but it is believed that travel is only temporarily impeded.

Cape Cod Wires Down.

BOSTON, Dec. 27. No marine disasters on this coast are yet reported, but telegraphic communication with Cape Cod is interrupted no intelligence is received from that quarter.

Before Storm in the Province—Forty Below Zero.

TORONTO, Dec. 27. The meteorological department says: In the maritime province a heavy northeast gale is blowing, accompanied by snow and elsewhere in Canada the weather is generally unsettled. It is intensely cold in the west and north-west, where the thermometer is below 40° below zero. Storm signals are ordered. A severe storm is approaching the Newfoundland coast.

Unusually Early Storm at Cape Island.

CONY ISLAND, Dec. 27. The storm here exceeded in duration and severity any for 25 years. High tide touched places never reached by the ocean before. The bulkhead between the bathing pavilion and the Oriental is washed away. Five hundred feet of the marine railway has gone to sea.

A Blizzard Coming.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27. Reports from the North-west show a cold wave approaching. The thermometer is below 40° below zero at Duluth; 36° below at LaCrosse; 32° below at Milwaukee; 28° below at Madison, Wis., and Des Moines.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

The Post Office at Delhi, Ont., was broken into Sunday night and all the registered letters were stolen.

The Farmers' Bone and Fertilizing Co. of Philadelphia have failed with liabilities of \$167,000.

At Brookline, Mass., Sunday, Mrs. Eliza Howard was charged with murdering her son, who was badly burned that she died soon after.

The trial of Homer Wellington at East Chicago, Ind., on charges of murdering his infant son, has been postponed until the next term of court, owing to a flaw in the indictment.

It appears that Edward Kinsman, a negro waiter in New York, murdered his wife with a club, crushing her skull, on Christmas day, and then slept with the corpse.

The miners of the Wyoming and Lackawanna coal fields are growing restive under the double depression of low wages and high taxes. They are earnestly agitating for a strike.

The steamship Rhein brought to New York \$1,100,000 in British and French gold coins.

The pools on the Sloosan-Vignaux billiard match in Paris are withheld in New York until word has been received that the match has been decided.

There have been shocks of earthquakes throughout Roumania.

General Grant, Sherman and McClellan will attend the celebration of the centennial of the birth of George Washington, N. J., to-day.

The prominent surgeon and author, Dr. J. Marion Sims, is reported dying of pneumonia in New York.

Jacob Gogel and wife, an aged couple, alleged robbers of \$5,000 in bonds, the property of Jacob Weisrevel taken from the defunct First National bank of which Weisrevel was President.

Four passengers were killed by the telegraphing of a train on the New York and New Jersey Railroad.

Two men perished in the snow storm near Red Bank, N. J.

The Ponca chiefs have sent a paper to Congress resigning claim to the Fort Snelling lands, claiming that they are not entitled to them.

Nine frame buildings were burned at Kirkville, Mo., Monday morning; loss \$80,000.

A fire has raged in Colorado Central mine from Sunday afternoon until Monday evening, causing \$100,000 damage.

THE WEATHER.

WAR DEPT. OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 28. A. M. J.

Indications.

For New England, Dec. 28—Coldly, coldly, with easterly winds, partly cloudy weather; occasional light snow, rising to a heavy snow.

Cautionary signals continue at Eastport.

FOREIGN NEWS.

GREAT BRITAIN.

London, Dec. 27. There is great commotion in the war office in consequence of the resignation of the late Lord Salisbury.

The Minister of the Interior is almost universally ascribed to official blundering. It is openly charged that the Natal authorities were aware of the consequences of the rising of the Dutch Boers but paid no heed to the repeated warnings.

FRANCE.

Paris, Dec. 27. An explosion of fire occurred to-day in a coal pit at St. Etienne while the miners were at work. Eleven persons have been recovered up to the present time.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Money Market.

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LOCAL MATTERS.

Good sleighing once more.

No unfortunate in the station last night.

No criminal business at the Police Court yesterday.

A children's festival at the Episcopal church to-day.

The Mt. Kisco House is to be enlarged the coming season.

Annual festival of the Unitarian Society at Unity Hall, Thursday evening.

There are now 117 telephones connected with the central office in this city.

The children connected with the Universalist Sabbath school have a festival this evening.

Charles Dala's house in process of erection on the old burning wharf is progressing rapidly.

On account of the storm the Cambridge did not leave Backstop yesterday, but will go Wednesday.

Mr. Evelyn of Greenville has constructed a model of a steamer to be built and put on the lake in the spring.

Capt. S. H. Barbour left the city for New York yesterday morning, to look after the machinery for his new steamer.

Rev. J. A. L. Rich and family, of Orono, were remembered by their Society and friends in valuable Christmas gifts.

The several home companies in the city held their last annual meetings previous to the meeting for settlement last evening.

The Union street Methodist society will hold a social at the residence of Mr. J. R. Sherman, 103 Hammond street, to-night.

J. W. Atkins advertises that the prices of grain goods will be broken at store this week, and what he has to say about kid gloves, etc.

A horse became frightened on Exchange street in consequence of a snow-blow, and ran away, but was captured at Spruit's stable. No damage done.

Prof. M. C. Fernald of Orono, L. Oak of Garland, and E. C. Farrington, wife and daughter, of Bangor, were among the guests registered at the Bangor House yesterday.

We learn that a son of Silas McKee, of Brewer, aged twelve years, died Saturday of diphtheria. Yesterday forenoon a little girl named Furlington died of the same disease.

A sportsman from Portland shot a white-tailed mallard at Ellumville Foreale, Friday forenoon. The bird is extremely rare in this latitude, and is valuable as a specimen of natural history.

Officer McCoy was buried yesterday on Exchange street—beneath a snow-fall. The exclamation of astonishment that escaped that worthy officer's lips is still echoing at the police station.

EARLY CLOSING. The boot and shoe dealers of the city are unanimously agreed to close their places of business at 6 o'clock P. M., during the month of January, February and March, 1881, Saturday excepted.

A very peculiar party gathered at the residence of H. A. Forbush, Christmas evening, to witness the marriage of Walter H., only son of Sarah R. Delano, of Bangor, to Miss Emma E., only daughter of A. S. Bailey, Esq., of Hallowell.

One day last week a Cumberland farmer shot a fine red deer. It had probably escaped from some person engaged in breeding them, as they are rarely found nearer than the Rangeley Lakes, or White Mountains in a wild state.

We learn that Mr. J. N. Lord, formerly superintendent of the E. & N. A. Railroad, has been elected to the position of Superintendent of the Portland and Maine Railroad, and now holding a responsible position on the Manhattan Railroad, met with a severe accident by falling from a bridge, a few days ago, by which several bones were broken.

A young married couple in this city were made happy on Christmas morning, by the gift of a thirty pound boy. May he prove a "well-spring of pleasure" in the household and live to find a well-filled stocking at each returning Christmas.

Many years in his new home, a gift from the boy was two years old—a gift from the Alma House.

Speaking of the consolidation of the Eastern and Boston & Maine Railroads, the Herald says that the Eastern railroad, having increased its gross earnings the past year, under the existing amicable arrangements, by \$419,000, as against an increase of \$289,000 in the Boston & Maine, the consolidation can be effected upon terms advantageous to the Eastern railroad stockholders.

REFORM CLUB—ELECTION OF OFFICERS. At a regular meeting of the Bangor Reform Club, held last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: John F. Montgomery, President; John Sheedy, Vice-President; W. E. Chandler, Secretary; S. L. Stevens, Treasurer; W. T. Weatherhead, Chaplain; M. P. Corson, Steward; Simon F. Walker and George F. Smith, Marshals.

REMOVAL OF THE ARSENAL GUNS. The old guns have been removed from the Arsenal in this city. Quite a number were purchased by the State of A. E. B. and sent to a dealer who had purchased them. Many of the guns thus disposed of are useless in their present condition, among them being a number of old flint locks made in 1778. There were also sent five old cannons, two of which have been burst.

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